Docket No.: 050212-0730 PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

Yoshiki NISHIBAYASHI, et al. : Confirmation Number: 9399

Application No.: 10/594,718 : Group Art Unit: 1783

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For: METHOD FOR FORMING CARBONACEOUS MATERIAL PROTRUSION AND

CARBONACEOUS MATERIAL PROTRUSION

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated December 7, 2009, now due to expire March 7, 2010, be extended for three (3) months and set to expire on June 7, 2010.

Please charge the extension fee of \$1,110.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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